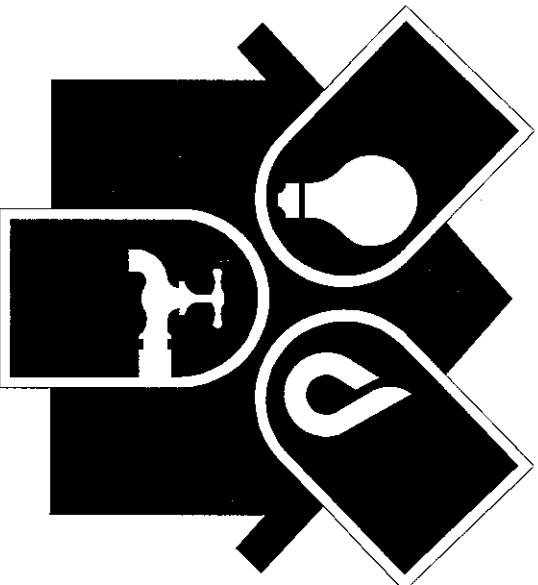

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The Honorable Rod Blagojevich
Governor, State of Illinois
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Chairman and Members, Joint Committee on Legislative Support Service
313 State Capitol, Springfield, Illinois

Dear Governor, Chairman and Members of the Joint Committee:

We are pleased to submit to you the Commission's 2006 Annual Report on Electricity, Gas, Water, and Sewer Utilities. This Report covers the period of January 1, 2006, through December 31, 2006.

The Annual Report is submitted in compliance with the Public Utilities Act and specifically addresses the items cited in Section 4-304 of that Act, which requires the Commission to report on the following subjects: a general review of agency activities; a discussion of the utility industry in Illinois; a discussion of energy planning; the availability of utility services to all persons; implementation of the Commission's statutory responsibilities; appeals from Commission orders; studies and investigations required by state statutes; impacts of federal activity on state utility service; and recommendations for proposed legislation.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Charles E. Box", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Charles E. Box, Chairman

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